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A Boy's Conclusion.

If I had a coach and horses eight,
I would choose to ride on the farm-yard gate;
The big, red gate, with its five strong bars,
The tippiest-topmost up to the stars.
It swings so slowly against the grass
When into the meadow the cattle pass,
I hold on tight, though I'm not afraid,
When Jerry, the cleverest fellow made,
Tugs it slowly back, with "Come,
This is the way they go to Rome."

Yet had I a coach and horses eight,
I'd be too grand for a farm-yard gate.
I should wear new jackets the whole year round,
And never go barefoot. Why, I'll be bound
The President hasn't much better fun
Than a boy when his mother says, "You may run!"
I sit astride of the farm-yard gate
And make believe I am something great;
That I own the wood lot, the river, the mill,
The house Squire Elder built on the hill;
That pair of ponies Miss Elder tries,
And all the taffy Elias buys;
Or I've just come back from an Indian war
(That's why the flag's on the school house for).
It's going to be Fourth of July a week!
The rusty old cannon will have to speak.

If I had a coach and horses eight,
I'd like to drive it through such a gate.
Stupid old fellows might sit inside,
The coachman has the best of the ride.
Oh, the way I'd manage the reins and whip—
"Steady there! even!" not a slip,
Wouldn't Harry and Walter stare?
Captain Buncombe would twitch his hair,
"He takes the road as I took the sea;
Really, the youngster is beating me!"

"Whew! got a tumble? You're rather small
To balance yourself? or the gate's too tall?
Which is it, sonny?" He rubs his head;
Grass isn't quite as soft as a bed;
"S'posed I was crying? Now, Jerry Lane,
Wait till you hear a fellow complain!
I was thinking—well, thoughts get jumbled so—
If I had a coach and horses, you know,
Always harnessed to take a ride,
I wouldn't mind sitting sometimes inside!"

—Charlotte Mellen Packard.

UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

"Do you really mean it, darling?"

"Of course I do, Frank. Do you think I would joke about such a subject?" replied pretty Grace Ramsey to her affianced husband, as she nestled her sunny little head on his broad shoulders one bright March evening, as the dying sun glinted through the cosy drawing-room, casting a golden glory upon the pictures, carpet, and crimson curtains, as if trying to outvie the cheerful fire that blazed in the highly-polished grate.

"I could not refuse you anything, my sweet Grace," he said tenderly, as he pressed her dewy lips; "but I would much rather you had asked me anything in the world than this."

"Why, Frank?" she returned, looking up into his handsome face with one of her bewitching smiles, that always finished any argument in her favor.

"Well, you see, to spend one's honeymoon in a new house, and at this treacherous time of year, might not be so comfortable, my pet, as a well-appointed hotel in the South of France or Italy," he urged deprecatingly, feeling the ground slipping fast away from him with her bright eyes looking shyly into his, her sweet face in close proximity to his moustache.

"But it is my great wish; and I will obey you in everything after we are married, you know, like a dutiful little wife," she said playfully.

"What put this notion in your little head?"

"Grandmamma; and you must agree that she is clever. Now you sit down here, and I will take my old place on this stool," as she ensconed herself at his feet coaxingly.

"So grandma has put this notion into your mind?"

"Yes; she said that when she was married grandpa took her straight from the church to their new home, and they were as happy as birds."

"But what time of year might that happy event have taken place?" he asked mischievously.

"July, I believe," Grace said demurely. "What matters the time? Surely it could make no difference."

"That is just what does. March and July, little sweetheart, are very different in our changeable climate; besides, I fancy a little bird whispered to me that their home was a fine old mansion that had welcomed several brides, whereas ours is a newly-built modern villa, that should be well-aired before we take possession."

"So it is," she persisted. "Jane and grandma were there all last week, and the fires are blazing beautifully from morning till night. Come, say 'yes';" and her soft white arms were round his neck, and a pair of tempting lips placed dangerously near to his; and Grace, as usual, gained her point, but she had to pay her lover the penalty of a score of kisses.

"This is delightful, darling husband," whispered Grace, as they drove to their new home at Clapham, after the wedding-breakfast. "I shall be such a happy little wifey—commencing life in our own dear home; it must be better than those big, cold-looking hotels, with staring waiters and pert chambermaids."

"So long as my sweet wife is happy, I am content," he said tenderly; "but there is a nasty east wind to-day;" this as he folded her furs around her with a lover's anxious care. "I hope everything is ready for us."

"Oh, you need not be uneasy; I feel sure Jane will attend to everything; she is a perfect paragon."

"Here we are at last! Welcome, darling wife, to your home!" he said as he led her up the flight of steps where old Jane stood with two maid-servants to receive their young mistress.

"I wonder why Jane looks so anxious," thought Grace; "I hope everything is all right. Oh dear! what should I do if there was anything gone wrong? Frank would never cease teasing me. Where are the stair-carpets, Jane?" she whispered, when they were in the drawing-room. "I thought everything was straight."

"So it was, but the dratted cistern took to leaking this morning, and being Easter-time no man can be got for love or money. I never saw such a gingerbread house as this in all my born days!" she said gloomily.

"Can't you manage to put them down, so that Frank won't notice it?" the poor little bride faltered.

"Put them down to be spoilt! Why, they are already wet through in some places; but here comes the master," as she bustled out of the room.

"This certainly looks cosy and home-like," said Frank Wharton as he clasped his bride in a loving embrace, and seated her in an easy-chair by the fire; "but what is the matter with that wall? Why, I believe it's damp, the paper is perfectly wet and peeling off. I must see the fellow who papered it; such a room cannot be fit for my little wifey."

"Oh, that is nothing, Frank; it is often like that in new houses, I believe," she said timidly.

"I must insist that you don't stay another moment," ringing the bell sharply for Jane. "Why did you permit your mistress to come in this damp vault?" he said testily; "it's enough to kill a dog."

"I am sure, sir, it was no fault of mine," said poor Jane; "they say that the paper in new houses often sweats—at least, that's what the man styled it."

"Is there no other room fit to receive us?" he asked; "surely the dining-room would be better?"

"Well, you see, sir, the stove is what they call slow combustion."

"Slow what?" he said, laughing in spite of himself.

"I don't know exactly how to pronounce the name, but it's a sorry thing at the best, and won't act nohow, try as you will."

"It's a beautiful grate, Frank," interposed Grace; "it's one of the modern ones, and is called slow combustion."

"It's dratted slow!" grumbled Jane. "I've spent three-quarters of an hour over it and can't get a fire to burn, so it's slow enough in all conscience."

"Never mind, Jane; I'm beautifully warm and comfortable—indeed I am, dear Frank."

"Well, I suppose we must make the best of it now," he said, trying to appear cheerful.

"I know what I'll do," murmured Grace; "music always suits Frank; I'll play and sing some of his favorites."

In a few minutes the little cloud was blown over, and the pair were happy as turtle-doves, as Grace sang song after song to Frank's intense delight.

"What on earth are they doing in the kitchen?" she thought; "I must go and see. I feel sure they will break the grate to pieces in a minute. Oh dear, oh dear! I wish I had taken dear Frank's advice. What are you all doing, and where is the dinner?" said Grace. "It is nearing the time."

"Dinner, indeed! If you get supper it will be a wonder to me," gasped Jane, as, armed with an immense flue-brush, she and her assistants were making frantic raids upon the kitchener, while the smoke poured out in volumes, nearly choking poor Grace, who stood the image of despair, gazing at the fowls, fish, and joints, that lay strewn about, getting peppered with blacks.

"What's to be done, Jane?" she stammered, as she covered her golden head to evade the shower of soot, and caught up her satin robes nervously; "it is past six o'clock, and Frank was just saying he felt rather hungry. Can nothing be done? Couldn't you get some hotel to send in a dinner?"

"Where's the hotel in this outlandish hole?" snorted Jane, as she thrust the broom savagely up into the offending draughts; "I can only assure you that no dinner can be cooked to-day in this gingerbread affair."

Seeing no hope from the faces of any of the scared servants, Grace returned to her husband, and in her pretty coaxing manner, broke the unhappy tidings to him, and in less than ten minutes a telegram was dispatched to the Grosvenor Hotel, and a *recherche* little dinner ordered.

"So that little difficulty is over, my darling," he said, as they drove to Pimlico; "but don't you think it might have been better if you had listened to my advice and spent our honeymoon at one of those big cold hotels?" this with a mischievous twinkle in his eyes.

"As you are mighty, be merciful," she said, laughing merrily. "I had no idea that the stove wouldn't cook, or——"

"That the drawing-room was damp," he added; "or——"

"Fie! is that being merciful, sir," she pouted.

But further domestic argument was broken by a waiter opening the brougham-door, and Frank assisting her out into the comfortable hotel.

"Thank Heaven we are in a civilized place at last!" murmured the new Benedict fervently, as they seated themselves at an elegantly arranged dinner-table, laden with flowers, bright silver, and sparkling glass; "this is comfort, at any rate."

They both enjoyed their dinner and pledged each other in rare wine, and said and did any amount of silly things, doubtless as thousands of brides and bridegrooms have done before; and, if truth must be confessed, Grace was sadly loth to return to her villa at Clapham; but she was a true daughter of Eve, and determined to keep her own counsel from her lord and master.

"Here's a pretty go, Miss Grace—I beg your pardon, I mean Mrs. Wharton," said Jane as the pretty bride entered the breakfast-room next morning, looking as fresh and sweet as a blush-rose in her azure-blue morning-robe, with its clouds of lace around her fair neck and arms.

"Why, Jane, what is the matter now?" she said anxiously; "surely you can manage to get us some breakfast of some kind?"

"That's right enough so far," groaned Jane; "but there's no water for the master's bath, it's leaked out somehow through some dratted pipe and soaked your wedding-dress, and the cake that your poor dear grandma sent home last night while you were out at dinner. I went and unpacked it at once, thinking the dress would be better laid loosely like than crumpled up, and there's the splendid cake and satin dress all of a pulp; the flowers, too, all soppy and spoilt."

This was the proverbial last straw, and proved too much for poor Grace, who threw herself on the couch, and covering her sweet face, burst into a fit of tears, exclaiming:

"Never will I try to get my own way again! What will dear Frank say? Oh, oh! he will never forgive me—I know he won't."

In another moment she felt a strong pair of arms lift her from the couch, and a tender voice whispering in her ear:

"You are right, my darling wifey; I will not forgive you unless you dry those eyes and have your breakfast, and then obey your lord, and order your things to be packed up immediately for the Continent, whither I mean to take you."

"But what is to be done, Frank, about the cake? And oh, my pretty dress is spoilt, that I was to have worn at Lady Steedman's reception!"

"Another cake can be ordered; also a dress, quite as pretty as your wedding one; but a smiling happy wife is not to be purchased," he replied, kissing away the pearly but penitent tears.

"Are you happy, darling?" her husband whispered, as the train neared Paris.

"Yes, Frank," she replied correctly, "truly and peacefully so, because I have learnt a lesson—to listen and respect my husband's wishes."

"And I am the happiest man in the universe for having commenced our honeymoon under difficulties, and have won the sweetest of wives."

Optical Illusions.

Many of you know about *optical illusions*, and the curious mistakes which the eye sometimes makes concerning an object at which it is looking; but few of us know how frequently we ourselves are the victims of optical illusions of one sort or another. The fact is, we see nearly as much with our experience as we see with our eyes. We know an object to be of a certain form in one position, and of a certain color in one light; and we are too apt to fancy that we see it of that form and color in all positions and lights, regardless of the fact that, seen from another stand-point, the contour of it may appear entirely different, and that a different light may totally change the color of it. We all know that the actual color of clean boots is black, and a beginner in painting almost always paints them perfectly black, whereas the direct rays of the sun or of an artificial light may make them appear nearly white in parts; while if they be placed near some bright substance, such as a piece of orange-peel, or a crimson scarf, they will reflect the color of that object, and so become orange or red in parts, and an expert painter would so represent them. We hear people speak of "the white of the eye," and beginners with the brush often give a very ghastly expression to their attempts at portraiture by painting the white of the eye pure white; whereas, owing to the projection of the brows, the lids, and the lashes, it is often thrown into deep shade, and may be even darker than some of the flesh tints. Now, if their eyes were trained like those of a skilled artist, they would know the true color of all objects they beheld. But this is the very hardest thing an artist has to learn, namely, to know really what he does see.

In coloring, almost everything depends upon the nature of the light. A white handkerchief is black in a dark room.

An excellent aid to the study of color is to take a white card, and with your paints try to match on it some tint in any oil-painting, chromo, or even colored fabric which you may have. Then cut a small hole in the card adjoining your tint, and place the card over the tint you have copied, so that you can see it through the hole, side by side with your own attempt. Then you will see at once how nearly you have matched the tint.—*Frank Bellew, in St. Nicholas for October.*

Here is a piece of information for housekeepers. We have tried it several times. Every one knows how disagreeable the odor of cooking cabbage is. All your neighbors can tell when you are going to have cabbage for dinner. If you put a small piece of red pepper in with the cabbage there will be no smell. The pepper absorbs the odor of the cabbage. Don't put in too large a piece of pepper, however, or the cabbage will be hot.—*New York Sun.*

Eastern Canada Mail.

(Per Northern Pacific Railway).

TORONTO, Oct. 28.—An enthusiastic meeting of the Toronto General Committee appointed to arrange for the reception to Sir John Macdonald was held last night, when the various committees were struck. It was decided that the reception should take the form of a convention in one of the largest halls of the city, to be followed by a banquet in the evening.

At a meeting of the creditors of Woltz Bros., jewellers, it was shown that the secured creditors had obtained value of over $18,000 against indebtedness of $13,000, showing a surplus of $5,000. The actual deficiency as shown on the balance sheet amounted to $52,000.

A remarkable case of faith cure occurred here. Annie Mallock, of Hayter street, met with an accident on King street twelve years ago, which crippled her, it was supposed, for life. Two years since she read a book on the prayer of faith. She asked her friends to join with her in prayer for her recovery, and from that time she has been getting gradually better, and was able last Sunday to attend church without assistance for the first time in twelve years.

BRANTFORD, Oct. 27.—A good deal of controversy has lately taken place in regard to the Dufferin Rifles Church parades. At a meeting of the Evangelical Alliance recently, a few of the members drafted a petition, asking the Commanding Officer to discontinue the practice of having the bands turn out on Sunday when the regiment attend church. At a meeting of the officers it was decided not to accede to the request, whereupon the Alliance issued a manifesto, requesting the members not to ask the Rifles to their churches. The Anglican Churches are open to the Battalion, and yesterday morning a parade was held to Grace Church. The Deputy-Adjutant-General of the district was in attendance, and before dismissing the regiment he fully upheld the conduct of the officers in not acceding to the request of the Alliance. The action of the ministers is generally condemned.

PORT ARTHUR, Oct. 27.—The mining excitement keeps up. The first load of silver ore from the Twin City mine arrived to-day. The company intend making a [illegible] to the smelters before navigation closes. The find at Silver Mountain attracts much attention.

OTTAWA, Oct. 27.—J. Hope & Co., the well-known stationers here, will be compelled to make an assignment. This is due to the failure of James Campbell & Son, Toronto.

The board of Examiners of Dominion land surveyors will meet here on Nov. 10th. Candidates must be present next day.

A pastoral letter from the Bishop of Ottawa against Freemasonry was read in all the Catholic churches yesterday.

KINGSTON, Oct. 27.—James Simpson, a cabman, has been missing since Thursday night, and it is feared he has been drowned, as his whip has been found near the water's edge. Simpson had been driving a cab for twenty years, and was worth considerable property.

BELLEVILLE, Oct. 28.—Robert Garwood, teller, and Willer W. Scott, book-keeper, in the Merchants Bank, are missing. Their accounts are correct.

LONDON, Oct. 28.—Mrs. Landfry tried to pass in front of a moving train, was struck by the engine, knocked down and dragged 25 feet, but she only received a few bruises.

Grace Methodist Episcopal church, rendered unnecessary by the union, has been leased by the Holmans, and will be transferred into an opera house.

LISTOWEL, Oct. 28.—The Banner printing building was burned to day; loss about $6,000.

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—No tenders having been received for the purchase of the Herald, it is now probable that arrangements will be made to carry on the paper under the supervision of a party appointed by the creditors.

The customs have seized $2,000 worth of gold and silver watches, chains, jewelry, &c., smuggled into the country by Henry Hobbs, of London, England. Another seizure was made on the Vermont frontier, where Geo. Clark, teamster for a firm of manufacturers at Derby Line, Vermont, was caught, red-handed, with a horse, wagon and a valuable load of goods. The man was arrested. He is believed to have been engaged in smuggling continuously since May.

A cable from England says there is a demand in Liverpool for prime Canadian cattle and sheep, with even better prospects.

HAMILTON, Oct. 28.—It is believed here that Adam Brown will be the new collector of customs. Hugh Murray is also spoken of.

Two hotel proprietors took a boat for Duluth to-day, and it is not expected that they will return. Financial troubles are supposed to be the cause of their hasty departure.

REGINA, Oct. 27.—Fire broke out to-night in the residence of Bishop Anson, at the west end of Regina. Fortunately the building was isolated, as there was a strong south wind. The house was a mass of flame in a few minutes notwithstanding the efforts of the pepole, who saved the furniture on the ground floor, but everything upstairs was burned. Bishop Anson is out west. The property was insured, but not for its full value.

WINDSOR, Oct. 27.—On Sunday afternoon the dwelling-house of Mrs. Albert Winters, on Chatham street, Windsor, was discovered to be on fire. Mrs. Winters was in the house at the time, and says that she was so shocked at finding the house on fire that she rushed out of the front parlour and fainted. She had just been counting over some money and had placed it in a drawer when she noticed the fire. When she recovered from the faint she went to the drawer and found that it had been ransacked and the money stolen. Mrs. Winters is of the opinion that the house was set on fire, and, when she rushed out of the room, thinks thieves entered and committed the robbery. The amount stolen is $300.

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WM. SMITHE,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 9th Oct., 1884. oc10td

CITY OF VICTORIA

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL REAL ESTATE TAX REMAINING UNPAID ON AND AFTER THE 30TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, 1884, WILL BEAR AND BE CHARGEABLE WITH INTEREST AT THE RATE OF ONE PER CENT. PER MONTH UNTIL PAID.

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THOS. RUSSELL,
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W. S. GORE,
Surveyor-General.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, B. C., 30th Oct., 1884. o31

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Laborers	1 75	2 00	"
Hewers		3 00	"
Choppers	1 75	2 00	"

All outside labor ten hours per day.
All carpenters to furnish their own chest tools.
All employees find themselves bed, board and lodging.
Boarding Houses will be convenient along the line.
Board, $4 per week.
It will not be compulsory for employees to board in the company's houses.
Wages will be paid monthly on the 15th of each month.

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YALE, March 1st, 1883.

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Rock Foreman	$3 to $4 ⅌ day	
Earth Foremen	$2 50 to $3	"
Bridge Foremen	$3 50 to $4	"
Bridge Carpenters (1st class)	$3 50	"
do do (2d class)	$3	"
Masons	$2 50 to $3 50	"
Stonecutters	$3 to $3 50	
Blacksmiths (1st class)	$3 50	"
do (2d class)	$3	"
Drillers	$2 to $2 25	"
Laborers	$1 75 to $2	"
Hewers	$3 50	"
Choppers	$2 to $2 50	"

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Board $5 per week.
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A. ONDERDONK,
mh7 General Manager.

VIGATION COMPANY. TIME TABLE.

ATLANTIC EXPRESS.

Leaves Victoria at ..... 5.00 a.m.
Arrives at New Tacoma at ..... 6.00 p.m
Arrives at Portland at ..... 8.45 a.m.
Leaves Portland at ..... 11.40 a.m.
Arrives at Walla Walla at ..... 2.03 a.m.
Arrives at Helena, Mon., at ..... 6.30 a.m.
Arrives at St. Paul, Minn., at ..... 12.25 p.m.

ATLANTIC EMIGRANT TRAIN.

Leaves Portland at ..... 8.25 a.m.
(Emigrants are carried on Express Trains between Helena and St. Paul.)

PACIFIC EXPRESS.

Leaves St. Paul at ..... 4.05 p.m
Leaves Helena at ..... 8.30 p.m
Leaves Walla Walla at ..... 9.56 p.m
Arrives at Portland at ..... 11.40 a.m
Arrives at New Tacoma at ..... 10.45 p.m
Arrives at Victoria at ..... 3.00 p.m

PACIFIC EMIGRANT TRAIN.

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Arrives at Portland at ..... 4.15 p.m

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D. M. EBERTS,
Solicitor to D. A. Copland, Administratrix
Victoria, Sept. 11th, 1884. se12 2

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate of GEORGE PLATZ, Deceased.

ANY PERSON HAVING A CLAIM AGAINST the estate of the said deceased is required to forward the same, on or before the 1st day of December next; and all persons who are indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith to GEO. STETZ,
Yates street, Victoria.
Dated Victoria, 25th Oct., 1884. oc24

Daily Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 6TH, 1884.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

$20 REWARD

WILL BE PAID FOR THE ARREST AND conviction of any person who may steal *The Colonist* from the door of a subscriber.

MUNICIPAL ETIQUETTE.

The etiquette at the sittings of our municipal boards needs some slight reformation. A great amount of desultory conversation takes place at all meetings which has no reference to the business for which they are gathered together to transact, and, if published, would make the common sense of the members look rather limited. This was particularly the case at the meeting of the school trustees last Monday evening. In passing a resolution of thanks to the council for the sidewalk to the Johnson ward school, the economy of our civic body was discussed and remarks about the mayor, Irish mud and Scotch dung-hills made. One weighty member of the board, while the question of inviting teachers to be present at meetings, anxious to grind a political axe, passed some personal remarks on the worthy provincial secretary, saying that he was the greatest enemy to education in the province, and that no assistance could be looked for from him. In the passsing of this resolution the most nonsensical conversation was indulged in, making the meeting of the school trustees to a spectator more of a farce than a serious discussion of the best means for the promotion of education. Members do not rise to their feet when addressing the chair, and occasionally one will try to keep his cigar lit during the length of the session. A member will speak a half dozen times on the same matter, "tut-tut" the opinions of other members, and generally try to bulldoze the board into construing a palpable fact into something widely different to what is intended. All this mimicry and playing at being school trustees should be abandoned, and rules for their guidance made and adhered to, and etiquette observed sufficient to make them appear a dignified body rather than a set of over grown school boys. There being no rules of order, of course the chairman is powerless to improve matters.

THE METLAKAHTLA SIEGE.

Affairs at Metlakahtla are in a much more satisfactory condition than the alarming reports received by the government from the "seat of war" had led the public to suppose. The affair at which the bishop took fright and sheltered himself behind loopholed fortifications, mounted by a mountain howitzer, placed so as to sweep the horizon at any point of the compass, would appear to have been promoted by the Indians with the object of bringing their grievances into court and having their rights defined. The talk about the natives being in a condition of insurrection and preparing to resist the authority of Mr. Elliott, the magistrate, prove to have been excited twaddle. The alleged offenders submitted to legal authority without a murmur, obeyed the mandate of the court by appearing in response to its summons. When the magistrate decided to commit them [illegible] the decision the Barbara Boscowitz as quietly and calmly as if they were ordinary passengers embarking on a commercial errand. The whole trouble would seem, as we ventured to remark the other day, to have been greatly exaggerated; and people down here who have been educated to the belief that the Metlakahtlans are a pack of blood-thirsty barbarians will be surprised to learn that they are exactly the reverse. The law, of course, must be enforced at all hazards, and the forthcoming trials will demonstrate who is to blame for the whole of this miserable business which has almost destroyed twenty-five years of missionary labors on the north-west coast.

THANKSGIVING.

The people of this province have reason to be thankful for the many material favors that have been showered upon them during the past twelve months. Nearly every interest within the limits of the province wood seem to have prospered to a greater or less extent. In Victoria particularly the progress has been unprecedented and the improvements are of a solid and permanent character. While the states and eastern Canada are passing through a financial crisis the business of this province is on a sound basis and there is reason to anticipate a considerable surplus in the public treasury. The sanitary condition of the city is the only unsatisfactory feature; but there is reason to believe that it will shortly be improved. Taken all in all, the year has been prosperous and there exists abundant cause for thankfulness.

"Dirt" and Disease.

TO THE EDITOR:—Exaggerated notions seem to prevail concerning the above subject. I believe somebody has remarked something about cleanliness and godliness which I do not dispute especially as regards matters personal; although thousands have washed and are washing themselves off this mundane sphere. But that common "dirt," such as is both offensive to the eye and nose is a cause of disease I flatly deny, unless it is heaped upon the epidermis so as to interfere with cutaneous functions. I leave out the aesthetic phase of the matter. The evidence is too voluminous for these pages. I may just refer to the yellow fever epidemic in New Orleans a few years ago. The cleanliest parts of the city enjoyed no exemption, and to the fact that the men who man the manholes in the sewers are as healthy as others; besides I have within the last decade witnessed two evidences of typhoid in cities, one in the tropics in which hundreds of white people perished, but which left the crowded and "filthy" Chinese quarter untouched. I think it is untouched in Victoria. Certainly if "dirt," with the exception named, is a cause of disease, those living nearest to it would suffer most. The large cities of China, Shanghai and Canton at least, have no sewers and typhoid is said to be nearly unknown therein.

Mind you, I say nothing against cleanliness *per se*. But you say too many of our citizens are dying of typhoid. That is another matter. Prince Bismarck hit the nail squarely on the head if as reported he said that "medicine (as commonly practiced) had made no progress in two thousand years."

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BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

EXCLUSIVE DISPATCHES TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Home Ruler Suspended in the Commons.

Two Jail Deliveries in Wisconsin.

Launch of a Large Clipper Ship for Pacific Trade.

Fatal Shooting Affair in Ohio Over Election News.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—Cunard and Guion steamship companies have arranged to amalgamate.

In the commons to-day Frank O'Donnell, home ruler, was suspended for disregarding the authority of the speaker.

EASTERN STATES.

TROY, Nov. 5.—Chas. McDonald, of Waterford, one of the party suspected of repetition was sent to Mechanicville yesterday. He jumped from the train and his mangled remains were found on the track to-day.

COLUMBUS, O., Nov. 5.—Patrick Doyle, who was shot in a mob on the street last night, died early this morning. He was an ex-policemen and highly respected.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—A special from Bath, Me., says that the ship Henry Hyde was launched there this p.m. She is of 2,783 tons burthen and the largest ship ever built in Maine. She is owned by Benj. R. Flint of New York and will be commanded by Capt. P. Pendleton. She will probably charter for San Francisco clipper business.

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 5.—A special to the Sentinel tells of two jail deliveries in the state last night. One in Appleton where five prisoners made their escape by climbing through the stone floor and under a wall. The other case is at Neitsville, where two men, Muller Perkins and a noted horse theief named Thompson, knocked the janitor down, took his revolver from him and escaped to the woods. A large force is in pursuit.

COLUMBUS, Ohio—During the excitement attendant on the arrival of the first news from New York the wildest excitement prevailed, and the streets were crowded by a mob. Wm. Wyckliff, a street-car conductor, stepped into a saloon where there were ten or twelve men. A fuss of some kind occurred, and seven shots were fired. Wyckliff was shot through the breast and head and killed. Frank Langs, street-car driver, was shot and dangerously wounded. Later in the evening the republicans formed a procession and marched past the democratic headquarters. A sortie was made by the democrats, and a riot ensued. Clubs and stones were thrown, and several men hurt.

CANADA.

QUEBEC, Nov. 5.—A snow storm which set in yesterday afternoon continues. Six or seven inches have already fallen.

UTAH.

Vons for polygamy began in the district court to-day. The day was consumed in getting a jury.

SECOND DISPATCH.

Fearful Storm on the Atlantic Coast.

The Country Inundated and Railroad Washed Out.

France Says She is Willing to Take 4,000,000.

Excitement in Paris Over U. S. Presidential Election.

English Opinion on Presidential Election.

CANADA.

FATHER POINT, Nov. 5.—A fearful snow and wind storm from the east has been raging since midnight all along the coast; the wind averages 70 miles an hour. The sea is tremendous and crossed the highways and inundated fields of all the parishes along the coast here. The lighthouse and telegraph office is completely surrounded by raging waves. The roads are all undermined. The watch houses, etc., here and several buildings near here and at Rimouski are carried away. A great number of people have vacated buildings at Rimouski and much anxiety is felt for to-night's tide if the storm does not go down. The Intercolonial railway track and roadway is washed away between Rimouski and Bic. No lives are lost so far as known.

FRANCE.

PARIS, Nov. 5.—Prime minister Ferry has informed England if China accepts mediation without delay or increasing further expense by military operations France will limit its claim of indemnity to 4,000,000 francs.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—American coteries in Paris and London have been greatly excited over the presidential election in the United States. Various news rooms are kept open throughout the night, and as conflicting accounts were received each party became alternately jubilant or depressed. The democrats, however, are most sanguine.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—The Daily News in an editorial upon the latest advices from America, that Mr. Blaine has 10,000 majority in New York says: "This result must be a surprise to his friends as much as to his opponents. It says Blaine has fought his battle with energy and spirit that even his opponents must admire. Gladstone's recent efforts in Scotland were almost insignificant compared with the efforts of Blaine; nevertheless the gradual recovery of the democratic party from the great depression of '68 encourages democrats and alarms their opponents. The present struggle is simply a question of personal preference. The largeness of votes shows the healthful interest Americans take in their politics.

Both Liberals and Conservatives have issued urgent "whips" to their adherents to attend the second reading of the franchise bill which, it is believed, Parnellites will oppose.

LONDON Nov. 5.—The Standard, arguing the hypothesis that Cleveland has been elected, says: The election will naturally simply be a sweeping displacement of those whose means of livelihood depend on politics. Cleveland's friends would forcibly urge upon him that it was his first duty to expel those who have been rottened by corruption.

DELAYED DISPATCHES

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Morning News, in a leader devoted to the American political contest, says: The republicans have much in their favor. They are in power. They have governed the republic for 23 years. They settled the slavery question forever, and they have the most heroic recollections in the Northern and Western States associated with their name, but the republican party has done its work and fallen into vices which long ascendancy produces in all political parties. It has become more anxious to retain office than to perform any great national services. It has had a candidate in Blaine who comes forward as a representative of party machine. Democratic victory no longer means the return of Southern men to monopoly power. Old sectional jealousies are cold beyond the power of warming to new life. The success of Cleveland will reopen no closed controversies; it will simply mean a change in the man at the helm. Old issues between republicans and democrats have lost their force. There are many indications that an important turning point in the domestic politics of the Union has been reached.

The Telegraph likewise finds a subject for comment in the American elections. It greatly rejoices that whoever is successful, no cloud in the horizon threatens to overshadow the existing amity of America and England, and Englishmen can afford to wait the result with entire confidence. Whether Blaine or Cleveland be elected, there will be no dissolution of continuity of the harmony and good will happily subsisting between Great Britain and Her Majesty's eldest daughter.

GERMANY.

BERLIN, Nov. 3.—The eight anarchists charged with blowing up the Niederwold monument have been removed from the prison at Eberfelt to the prison at Leipsic. A plot was discovered to force the prison at Eberfelt and release the prisoners. Several arrests have been made of parties implicated in the plot.

FRANCE.

PARIS, Nov. 3.—It is reported that Ferry has decided to dissolve the chamber of deputies in February. President Grevy consents to the dissolution.

EGYPT.

CAIRO, Nov. 4.—Wolseley telegraphs that the reports brought in by natives indicate that Gordon is still in possession of Khartoum.

Eastern Canada Mail

Per Northern Pacific Railway.

PORT ARTHUR, Oct. 28.—Information received to-day by boat Michipicoton says the police force sent there is inadequate to quell the disturbance. A gang of desperate roughs, about thirty in number, have their headquarters a couple of miles from the village. A perfect reign of terror exists. The lives of everybody opposed to the gang have been threatened if they divulge information to further the ends of justice.

A cable despatch states that Sir John Macdonald has seen Sir Andrew Clark, lengthened examination, declares that there is nothing in Sir John's condition to excite apprehension.

MONTREAL, Oct. 28.—A proposal has been made to hold a grand International Exhibition here in 1886. A preliminary meeting was held to-day of all the foreign Consuls and Vice-Consuls and a large number of citizens and after some discussion the scheme was heartily approved.

OTTAWA, Oct. 27.—Belgium is making a great effort to get up a Universal Exhibition in May, 1885.

In 1886 there will be a special Colonial Exhibition in London, which will be a grand affair, the Prince of Wales having taken the matter up with his usual energy. The aim is to have as complete a display of exhibits from the colonies of the Empire as possible.

HALIFAX, Oct. 29.—Benjamin Trefry mysteriously disappeared on Saturday. To-day Absalom Hurlburt confessed that he had killed him, throwing the body into the lake. Hurlburt was arrested.

TORONTO, Oct. 27.—Private Detective Bluett, who was instructed by the family of young Kelrick, found dead in Queen's park last Monday morning, to endeavor to elucidate the mystery of his death, has reported that he believes it was the result of an accident.

It has been decided at the meeting of the Brown memorial committee to proceed with the erection of the statue at once, and have it unveiled this year. Hon. Alex. Mackenzie will be asked to unveil it, and Professor Daniel Wilson to deliver an address.

OTTAWA, Oct. 28.—A despatch has been received by the governor-general from the colonial office expressing the thanks of the imperial government of Canada for the assistance rendered in connection with the Canadian contingent to the Nile expedition for the relief of General Gordon.

The question as to the validity of the filing of the Scott act petition in the county of Perth was decided by the supreme court to-day. All the judges concurred in the opinion that the filing had not been made in the county, and that it was invalid.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 27.—A verdict of wilful murder in the Cameron shooting affray was returned to-day against Walsh and his wife, who was brought in as accessory.

WINDSOR, Oct. 27.—About three o'clock Sunday afternoon Ed Brady was fishing from the Grand Trunk slip dock in Windsor. The car ferry was coming in, and in the effort to make a person on the boat to whom he was talking hear, he leaned forward, and in doing so slipped from the wharf into the river. Those who saw him say he sank immediately and never rose. Brady was a man about twenty-eight years of age, and married. He formerly lived in Windsor, but has for the past five months been residing in Detroit.

MONTREAL, Nov. 1.—Action has begun by the liquidators of the Exchange Bank against M. H. Gault, ex-president, for $150,000, overdrawn by Thomas Craig during Gault's presidency; also against E. K. Green, director, for $60,000 overdraft, to satisfy the City and District Savings Bank's claims against Thomas Craig, which has been assumed by Green and George W. Craig.

HALIFAX, N. S., Oct. 28.—T. & E. Kenny, of this city, have been informed by cablegram from London of the loss of their new ship the Depositor. She was 1,600 tons, and was launched at Economy, N. S., in July last. The crew were all saved. She is insured in Halifax offices for $21,000.

WINNIPEG, Oct. 28.—It appears that the Dominion government contemplate increasing the strength of the northwest mounted police from five to eight hundred men.

KINCARDINE, Oct. 27.—A fatal accident occurred here this morning. While a young man, named John McLeod, was attending to his duties in the engine-room of Rightmyer's Salt Works, he came in contact with the driving wheel, and was instantly killed.

Religious Intolerance.

Even in this enlightened nineteenth century one frequently comes across cases of religious intolerance which would have disgraced the Dark Ages. A Mr. Daniel, of Strodleigh Court, Tiverton, recently advertised a farm to be let. The highest bidder was a Mr. Yendell, and it was agreed that he should lease the farm. Before the lease was signed, however, he was asked if he were a churchman, and replied that he was a Wesleyan. Subsequently he received a letter from Mr. Daniel's agent, saying that Mr. Daniel had decided not to let him lease the farm, "as all his other tenants were churchmen, and no exception could be made."

Truth.

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PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
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HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

The Honorable ALEXANDER EDMUND BATSON DAVIE, Q.C., HENRY MAYNARD HALL and ANDREW CHARLES ELLIOTT, Esquires, to be Commissioners to enquire into and report upon certain disturbances and breaches of the Peace, which have occurred at Metlakahtla and elsewhere on the Northwest Coast of British Columbia. no6 1t

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
1st November, 1884.

HIS HONOR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

The Honorable ALEXANDER EDMUND BATSON DAVIE, Q.C., to be a Justice of the Peace for the Province.

DONALD MCDONALD, Esq., to be a Justice of the Peace for the Electoral District of Victoria.

WALTER DEWDNEY, Esq., J. P., to be Government Agent, Registrar under the Marriage Acts, Mining Recorder, Assessor and Collector under the Assessment Acts, and Collector of Revenue for the Okanagan Polling Division of the Electoral District of Yale, and Assistant Commissioner of Lands and Works for the Osoyoos (1 and) Division of the Yale District; all *vice* T. MCK. LAMBLY, Esq., resigned. no6 1t

AUCTION.

I have been instructed by Mrs. M. Dawson to sell by Auction on the premises at South Saanich, on

Monday, 21st Nov., at 12 M.

FARM WAGON, SPRING WAGON,

Harness, Saddles, Set Blacksmith Tools, Ploughs, Harrows, Roller, Iron Boiler (70 gallons),

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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G. R. T. BAKER.
North Saanich, Nov. 4th, 1884. no5w.m

CANADIAN

PACIFIC RAILWAY.

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If the tender is not accepted the deposit will be returned.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms supplied.

The Department will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

JOSEPH W. TRUTCH,
Dom. Government Agent.
Office Dom. Govt. Agent,
Victoria, B.C., 3rd Nov., 1884. no5

LOST

AT THE BALL GIVEN TO ADMIRAL LYONS on Friday evening last, a large-sized AMETHYST from the centre of a Bracelet.

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3rd November. no4 3t

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Dated Nov. 1st, 1884. JOHN IRVINE,
Administrator.
Or DAVIE & WILSON,
no2 1m Solicitors.

VICTORIA THEATRE COMP'Y

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders will be held at the Driard House on the evening of MONDAY, 10th November, 1884, at 7:30 p. m., for the adoption of Plans for Building.

By order of Directors.

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
Secretary.
Victoria, 1st Nov., 1884. no2

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DR. ASH

HAVING RETURNED FROM ENGLAND HAS resumed the practice of his profession. oc29

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Freight for shipment by her is requested to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 5 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, 30th Oct.

For Freight and Passage apply to
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ALASKA STEAMER.

NOTICE IS GIVEN THAT THE SAILING DATE of the P. C. S. S. Co.'s steamer for Alaska during the winter months will be the 25th of each month
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Victoria, B.C., 21st Oct., 1884. oc21

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ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the estate are to present the same to the undersigned, and debtors to the estate are required to make payments to

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Solicitors for the Executrix.
Victoria, Oct. 20th, 1884. oc31

Daily Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, NOV. 6TH, 1884.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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Nov. 5—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Idaho, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

Nov. 5—Str Geo. E. Starr, Pt Townsend
Str Idaho, Sitka

PASSENGERS.

Per str EMPIRE fm San Francisco—Mrs S A Clay, Charles Martin, Peter Travis, Wm McDonald, Low Chong Low, O C Pratt, G C Murchinson, J Cameron, R D Ramson, J J White and wife, Mrs H Rouley and ch.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—J Greaves, T Howard, H J Norton, T Lubb, J Barrister, N Case, J Davitt and wf, Mrs King and 2 dau, C Smith, J Sampson, S J Friedman, Mrs W Tearney, Mr J Tearney, P Kohler and 8 Chinese.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str EMPIRE from San Francisco—Victoria—A Lewis and Co, Chas Morton, Thos Earle, Gutman and Frank, G H Maynard, Hy Gribble, Jno Weslar, JAM, Marvin and Tilton, R Maynard. New Westminster—E S Scoullar and Co, J E Insley, J Cunningham and Co, J G Brunte. Nanaimo—A Bullock, A G Horne & Son, Alex Henderson, A Mayer and Co, A R Johnson and Co, Geo Bevilockway, G Cuffalo, Hirst Bros, J H Pleace, Jas Abrams, J Broadwell, J W Brunton, Jno E Jenkins, J Webb, M Manson, R Dunsmuir & Sons, R Gibson, Sabiston and Wilcox.

Per str GEO. E. STARR, from Puget Sound—A Lewis, A Leiser, Mung Lee and Co, T Earle, S Leiser, Hastings Sawmill, T Dunn, J Parker.

THE LONE FISHERMAN.

The Jury Cannot Agree and Will Probably be Dismissed.

(Exclusive to The Colonist.)

SEATTLE, Nov. 5.

The jury in the case of the United States againt Sam. Willey, owner of the steamer Lone Fisherman, on trial for smuggling, rdported to the judge that they could not agree on a verdict. They stood nine for conviction and three for acquittal. They were sent back by the judge and probably will still be unable to agree, which will necessitate a new trial.

Marine.

Steamship Mexico, 68 hours from Victoria, arrived at San Francisco on Monday.

The steamship Empire, Capt. Butler, arrived at an early hour yesterday morning with freight and passengers. She left for the Sound in the afternoon.

The Eliza Anderson arrived here six hours late on election day. A delay was made on the other side to enable her passengers to vote on the election. On her return she will bring a portion of the sporting element who will attend the coming races.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5—Arrived—British steamer Wellington, Young, four days from Departure Bay, coal from R. Dunsmuir & Sons. Steamer Wilmington, Blackburn, 3½ days from Seattle. Steamer Ancon, Hall, from Sitka, via Portland, 95 hours. Schooner Kodiak, Currie, Kodiak, Alaska commercial company.

Personal.

Mr. Geo. C. Murchison, of Kingston, Canada, arrived yesterday on the steamer Empire. He will make his home in this city.

Mr. E. G. Prior is confined to the house by a sharp attack of illness.

Mrs. A. Onderdonk and son of Yale, are at the Driard.

Mr. Theo. Davie leaves to-day for England. He will cross the ocean in the new Cunard steamer Umbria, sailing from New York on the 19th inst.

To be Removed.

The Ottawa Sun says:—"It is understood that the department of Indian affairs are contemplating the removal of Bishop Ridley from Metlakahtla, B. C., on account of the constant troubles that have arisen there among the Indians since he arrived.

RAFAEL JOSEFFY.—The fact that this master of the piano was to give one of his concerts in Victoria has caused quite an excitement in musical circles, and already applications have been made for a large number of seats. Mr. Geo. Werner has been in correspondence with Josefly for some time past, and it is to his efforts that this musical genius has paid a visit to Victoria, and at a reduced scale of prices, the rate in Portland being $2, while here it will be $1.50. No seats will be reserved until the plan is put in on Monday, and who comes first will be first served. There is every prospect that a crowded house will greet the great pianist here, who, without doubt, will more than exceed all expectations. The press throughout the continent speak in glowing terms of the wonderful mastery that Mr. Joseffy has attained over the king of instruments.

PARTING SERENADE.—On Tuesday evening the young gentlemen who form the Victoria Amateur Brass Band proceeded to the Douglas House to show their appreciation of Mr. Willie Cross by serenading him. Mr. Cross, after thanking them for their kindness, said that although he was sorry to leave Victoria he was sure that by so doing it was for his advancement, and when he returned in five years he trusted he would find all the boys well and hearty. After a great deal of hand-shaking and many good-byes, the boys left their old friend with a parting serenade and cheer.

GRADING THE STREET.—Several men were engaged yesterday in reducing Wharf street near the Navigation Co.'s offices to its proper grade. During the progress of building operations the street got filled with clay, and the consequence was that in the recent rains the street became a mass of muck on account of lack of drainage. The refuse will be carted away.

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THANKSGIVING SERVICES.—Divine service will be held in the following churches today: R. C. Cathedral, View street, at 9 o'clock a. m.; Methodist Church at 11 o'clock; Reformed Episcopal Church at 11 o'clock; and the First Presbyterian Church, Pandora avenue, at the same hour. At 11 o'clock the annual harvest home service will be celebrated at the Christ Church Cathedral.

"THE PRINCESSE."—An 8-button tan colored Kid Glove, with black, seef or mixed silk points, price $1.25 per pair. We invite a trial of this remarkable glove; also, of an especially cheap black French Glove, 4 fasteners, at $1 per pair.

WM. WILSON & Co.,
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THE WEEKLY COLONIST to morrow.

What Some People Say.

That a physician says more illness arrises from badly-aired underclothing than any other cause.

That Cleveland believes in letting coal, fish and the products of fish into the United States free of duty. Therefore we vote for Cleveland.

That the Times sticks to the ridiculous yarn about the resignation of Sir M. B. Begbie and the appointment in his stead of Mr. Richards. The Times has a vivid imagination; but it should not draw upon it so liberally.

That when a young man is too fresh every statement he makes should be taken with a grain of salt.

That Christmas Cards in endless variety. New patterns, new designs. They recommend themselves.—T. N. Hibben & Co. *

That a young Vermont lawyer has just had his first case. It was a case of measles and he had to go home and let his mother nurse him.

That an attempt was made last week by a medical student to shoot King Leopold II., of Belgium, as he was returning from Leaken to Brussels. The would-be regicide was arrested.

That when a barber comes to dress a dude's head he comes to a fool's top. It is a period in his existence.

That Sir Moses Montefiore's motto is "Think and Thank," and in commemoration of his birthday it is to be printed on blankets for distribution to the poor.

That Shriver's copying presses for which T. N. HIBBEN & Co. received the agency show that they know how to provide the best class of goods at moderate prices. *

That the quarantine in Italy has already resulted in a loss to Italy of over five million dollars; and the effect of the scare in Spain being almost as pernicious, the regulations have been relaxed.

That a young widow, in erecting a monument to the "dear departed," cleverly availed herself of the opportunity to inscribe on the tomb: "Sacred to the memory of Mathusin Benuchet, who departed this life, aged sixty-eight years, regretting the necessity of parting from the most charming and best of women."

That at the late exhibition CHARLES BALL was awarded the FIRST PRIZE for the best assortment of wagons in British Columbia. dw *

That an American is having built at Nice a house made in America and shipped in sections.

That during the year 1883 London had 974 hours of sunshine out of a possible 4,456—an average of 2.40 per day.

That "Called Back," by Hugh Conway, at T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

That the other day a despatch was sent from Kansas City, Missouri, to an inland town of Scotland, and a reply was delivered to the message sender in an hour and ten minutes. There were three or four transfers on this side the Atlantic, and probably half a dozen on the other side.

That in Lithuania a bride's mother gives her a box on the ear at the time of her marriage. This gentle tribute is due to maternal anxiety. In case the daughter becomes dissatisfied with the match, she can plead that she was forced to marry her husband, and thereby can obtain a divorce.

That History of the Four Georges, by McCarthey. Passages from the prose writings of of Mathew Arnold, at T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

That at a recent Sunday school meeting in Chicago a long-winded clergyman consumed too much of the time with a wordy address. When he sat down, the leader of the meeting unwittingly announced the hymn beginning "Hallelujah! 'tis done!

That the cold winds of autumn reminds the farmers that it will soon be time to put their cattle under cover. Ye who have steers to shed prepare to shed them now.

That persons subscribing now with T. N. Hibben to the Globe and Mail will receive the same for the balance of the present year free. *

That a full line of artist materials at Hibben's. *

That a lady once said, half in fun and half in madness: "They talk of persons with strength of mind, but when it comes to strength of don't mind, my son William surpasses any one I ever knew."

That a reporter was sent to ascertain the truth of a rumor that a well known citizen had gone insane. The reporter's career ended then and there, when the paper next morning had the following paragraph: "There was a report yesterday that something was the matter with Mr. Sanders' head. It is as sound as it has always been. There is nothing in it."

That at the City House may be found the largest and newest assortment of ladies', Misses' and children's trimmed and untrimmed hats and bonnets, feathers, birds' wings, flowers, milliner ornaments and trimmings to be found in the city. *

That a furnished or unfurnished twelve roomed house, with nice garden and orchard is to let in the pleasantest part of the city, ten minutes' walk from the postoffice. For particulars apply at this office. *

That Larkin Connolley' tender for the drydock has been accepted.

That the New Westminster people want to lynch Rogers, the murderer. Not wise. Over the line he might escape. But on this side he is sure to get justice. Let him alone to be dealt with by the law.

That the Duke of Albany, who had some faith in spiritualism, promised to communicate with his sublunary friends after death, upon a slate he had made expressly for his own seance communications. Nothing has yet been received from him, and his friends begin to wonder at his delay.

That those wishing their names in large type in the B. C. Directory 1884-5 must subscribe before the 15th Nov. next. *

That an exceptionally cheap line of Misses' and children's mantles, 21 to 39 inches long, commencing at 87½c. each, is being offered at the City House.

That it is an acknowledged fact, the finest Wines, Brandies and Scotch Whiskies at Boyd's. *

That you should see the West End suit at the I. X. L. *

That the WHITE HOUSE will have on view to-day an immense assortment of new season Millinery, Feathers, Flowers, &c. *

That the celebrated Dantzic Spruce Beer is at the Senate. *

FINEST AND LARGEST STOCK OF MOULDINGS, FRAMES, MIRRORS, BRACKETS, CHROMOS, FANCY MATS, BIRD CAGES, AN INVOICE OF CHOICE ENGRAVINGS JUST RECEIVED FROM LONDON, SHOW CASES, OFFICE AND FINE FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER AT JOS. SOMMERS, GOVERNMENT ST., 3 DOORS BELOW FORT.
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Municipal Council.

The usual meeting of the city council was held last evening. Present—His Worship the Mayor, in the chair, Couns. Wrigleswortb, Vigelius, Boyd, Porter, McKillican, J. Robertson and W. A. Robertson.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Coun. Jno. Robertson rose to a question of order, and wished to contradict an item in a local paper that he had objected to a sidewalk being built to the Johnson street school house.

From Lieut.-Col. Holmes, D. A. G., acknowledging receipt of letter of thanks moved at last meeting of the council.

From W. Pollard, re Drake & Jackson vs. Corporation, stating that judgment had been given in favor of plaintiffs, with costs.

Coun. Boyd said that he was of opinion that if the case was appealed that the corporation would win their suit. He would move that the case be appealed to the full bench.

Coun. W. A. Robertson thought the case should be appealed, and he would second Coun. Boyd's motion. Motion was carried.

Notice was read from On Hing's counsel, that they intended to appeal from Hon. Pemberton's judgment.

Resolved, That city barrister be instructed to defend the suit.

REPORTS.

From sanitary officer, reporting nuisances in various parts of the city.

Usual notices ordered to be issued.

Coun. Boyd then moved that several sidewalks be laid in various parts of the city, the cost of all amounts to $1,397. He said that although the finances were not in a flourishing state, in justice to ratepayers, the sidewalks should be laid, as they had all been promised, some for years.

Coun. W. A. Robertson seconded the resolution.

His worship said that no notice of motion had been given, and it would require the usual notice.

Coun. Jno. Robertson thought that in all cases where excavating had been done a sidewalk should be laid, as in these cases mud holes were left.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Coun. Vigelius' motion at last meeting was read that three or four men be employed to clean the crossings and gutters. Seconded and carried.

Coun. W. A. Robertson stated that a part of Beacon Hill remained fenced in, although an injunction had been obtained to prevent the agricultural society from enclosing any part. He moved that the fence around the cricket ground should be pulled down. He thought his worship must be in league with the club or he would not have ordered "Jumbo" to roll the ground. There was no occasion for a notice of motion.

Coun. McKillican spoke of the disreputable state of Wharf street. He thought that nobody could cross that street and also Government street. With respect to sewerage he thought that the open drains running into the streets was the great fault, although the drains were not so filthy as represented. He would like to see the whole question taken up by the council, so that the next council might be in a position to go into the matter. The same sickness now prevelent in this city was prevelent in New Westminster.

Coun. Vigelius wished to call the attention of the council to the fact that droves of cattle and heavy trucks crossed the James Bay bridge. He thought both should be prohibited.

Coun. Boyd thought it would be necessary to pass a by-law to stop droves of cattle crossing the bridge. Cattle should also be prohibited from passing through the town in mid-day. It was very dangerous to allow the fierce animals to endanger peoples' lives.

His Worship said a scheme should be taken up so that the people would know how much they would have to pay for a system of sewerage. It would cost a great deal more money than anybody thought. If anything was done, and he hoped there would, a bill would have to be passed in the local house.

The monthly accounts were than read amounting to $487.58, and ordered to be paid if found correct.

The council then adjourned at 9:15 p.m.

The Temperance Wave.

The man who wagers that prohibition will soon obtain in a majority of the counties of Ontario has the odds in his favor. Three counties, Glengarry, Stormont and Dundas, have pronounced for the act. They were placed in a group and rolled up a majority of about 1,600, and thus expressed the feelings of Scotch Canadians with reference to the question. It is said that the liquor men are losing heart and have determined to make no further effort to stay the "wave" that is sweeping over the land. There are too many orators in the temperance columns; too many earnest men engaged in the effort to carry prohibition; too many ministers on the stump for the hotel-keeper. Why, even an Episcopalian bishop, whose diocese is in Western Ontario, has come out of the somewhat exclusive circles of his own church to address Scott act meetings. This ecclesiastic is Bishop Baldwin, of Huron, a life-long worker in the temperance cause and an exceedingly able man and eloquent speaker. He has incited his clergy to vigorous action, and now Episcopalians, Methodists, Presbyterians, Baptists, Congregationalists and Catholics are found working for a common cause. Is it any wonder that prohibition victories are now recorded almost every week?—*Exchange.*

JOSEPH COOK is a phenomenon to be accounted for. No other American orator has done what he has done, or anything like it; and, prior to the experiment, no voice would have been bold enough to predict its success. We reviewed Mr. Cook's "Lecture on Biology" with unqualified praise. In the present volume we find tokens of the same genius, the same intensity of feeling, the same lightning flashes of impassioned eloquence, the same vicelike hold on the rapt attention and absorbing interest of his hearers and readers.—Rev. Prof. A. P. Peabody, of Harvard University, in the Independent.

PUGILISTIC INDIANS.—Pedestrians were surprised yesterday afternoon to see a young Indian rush up to an old Siwash and deal him a blow that knocked him to the ground. He then sprang on him, but another Indian interfered and a whistle for the police closed what bid fair to be a serious row, for the old man's assailant hurried away.

THE steamer Empire from San Francisco docked at Turner & Beeton's wharf early yesterday morning. After discharging a cargo for this and Sound ports she will load coal at Nanaimo for San Francisco.

THANKSGIVING.—To day will be observed as a general holiday, the banks and places of business being closed.

Municipal Police Court.

Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 5.

The boy, Sol. Harrison, was again brought up charged with shooting a calf of Mr. W. Turgoose. Harrison was committed for trial. Bail was allowed.

A young man, charged with assaulting a Chinaman by striking him and kicking him, was remanded until Friday, 7th inst.

Capt. Worth, late master of the steamship Umatilla, was charged by Samuel Evans with robbing him of the sum of $240.

Mr. Theo. Davie appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Pooley for the defense.

Samuel Evans, sworn—Two weeks ago, yesterday, I had fourteen $20 gold pieces and two bank bills in my pockets; it was the day of the sham-fight; in the afternoon Capt. Worth and I went into McNiffe's saloon; we had some drinks there; Capt. Worth borrowed $10 from me; he called me aside and asked me to loan him the money. I handed him a ten-dollar bill; soon after that I got into a struggle with a man who said something offensive about Mrs. Evans; Capt. Worth interfered and pushed me into a back room; we were alone together; I felt defendant's hand in my pocket, and the next moment I missed my money; I had only two twentie's left, twelve twenties being taken; I said: "Give me my money!" and he answered, "It's all right, I'll take care of it." I considered the money was all safe and said nothing more. We then went out in the barroom and had a drink; after that I went alone to a French woman's house on Yates street; soon after Geo. Francis and Capt. Worth came there; I left some paper money with the woman, which she afterwards refused to return; Capt. Worth and Francis got me to leave and took me to the 4-Mile House, where we had supper; when we came back to town we returned to the Frenchwoman's on Yates street; we had two or three drinks there; the captain left and I remained all night; while the captain was in the house I saw him with my twenties in his hand; he was showing them to the woman; in the morning I left and went to the Park Hotel, where I went to bed; I got Mrs. Evans to write a note to Capt. Worth, asking him to return my money; the messenger came back without the money, and next morning I started out myself to seek the captain; went to his room in the Pritchard House; I saw him there, and when I asked him for my money he said, "My dear boy, I haven't got your money." I thought that was enough, and so I communicated with the police.

Cross-examined by Mr. Pooley—The money I had was obtained by selling out the Park Hotel; I got $500 for it; I was several times with Capt. Worth before that day; I had $600 or $700 altogether when I sold out; remember meeting Capt. Worth at McAllister's; did not flourish my money about there; when there I had about $160 in my pocket; Mr. McAllister and Capt. Worth suggested I had better put my money in the safe; they went with me to Garesche, Green & Co.'s and saw me deposit about $400; I don't recollect going to McNiffe's that day with Capt. Worth; I only know it was on a Tuesday from what the bar-keeper at McNiffe's told me; I am sure the money was taken from my pocket during the scuffle with Capt. Worth; I have not accused any one else of taking this particular money; at the 4-Mile House I had only two twenties; Capt. Worth paid for what we had there with the $10 bill I had previously loaned him.

The evidence of Geo. Francis, Mr. McCluskey and a woman named Lena did not go very far to show any guilt on the part of Capt. Worth.

Mr. Pooley wished his honor to dismiss the case, but his honor did not see his way clear to do so, as he said he could not act as jury and magistrate.

Mr. Wilson (Davie & Wilson) thought that if his honor dismissed the case it would not be to the advantage of Capt. Worth as by so doing it would still leave a stain upon that gentleman's character. He (Mr. Wilson) advised that the magistrate commit the defendant who would be tried by a jury and then undoubtedly leave the supreme court honorably discharged.

His honor agreed with Mr. Wilson and committed the Captain for trial, bail being accepted to the amount of $500 and two sureties at $250 each.

The Marionettes.

The little people who now occupy the boards of the Philharmonic gave another performance last evening to a delighted house. The programme is of a most engaging character and the manner in which the figures are manipulated astonishes the most experienced spectator. The minstrel show is fine; the Fantoccini is better; but Humpty Dumpty excels all. The transformation scene of the Spider and the Fly with gorgeous effects and silver rain closed the excellent entertainment. At 2 o'clock this afternoon there will be a matinee and in the evening a last performance. Every one should see the Marionettes.

INSANE.—We regret to learn that Mr. Stuart May, late of England, who is well known in Victoria, has been placed in confinement in the lunatic asylam at New Westminster. It is hoped his ailment is temporary.

ST. JAMES CHURCH.—The foundation stone of St. James Church will be laid this afternoon at 3 o'clock by Mrs. Cornwall. An offertory will be taken up in aid of the church building fund. A box containing coins, etc., will be placed beneath the stone.

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BLAINE PRESIDENT.

The Tribune Claims 201 Electoral Votes for Blaine.

New York City Gives over 43,000 for Cleveland.

Congressional Election in New York State a Tie.

Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Nebraska, Kansas

Are Carried by the Republicans With Large Majorities.

Complete Returns are Not Yet to Hand.

But Blaine is Probably Elected President of the U. S.

Though the 'World' Claims 219 Votes for Cleveland.

MICHIGAN, Nov. 5.—Four hundred and seventy seven precincts give Blaine 81,504, Cleveland 71,039, Butler 14,067, St. John 7,913. A fusion plurality of 4,352 in the same precincts give Alger, republican, for governor, 77,788; Begole fesion 72,418; Preston prohibitionist 6,876. Returns show that the democrats carried 1st, 5th, 5th, 7th, 8th and 10th, and the republicans 3rd, 9th and 11th; 2nd and 4th in doubt; 5th very close and may yet go republican.

NEBRASKA—Returns are coming in slowly. Those received indicate that the republican national and state tickets are elected by about 20,000; republicans elected congressmen in 2nd and 3rd districts; 1st in doubt.

INDIANA—635 voting places give a republican gain of 11,602; democratic gain of 6,931; net republican gain, 4,671.

NEW YORK—1,705 election districts outside of the cities of New York and Brooklyn give Blaine 383,081; Cleveland 324,820; Butler 10,538; St. John 19,969.

MINNESOTA—Net republican majority in this state as far as heard from is 20,140.

NEW YORK—1,742 districts outside of New York and Brooklyn give Blaine 389,491; Cleveland 332,109; Butler 10,560; St. John 20,290.

VIRGINIA—Nearly all the returns received show democratic gains and few losses; democratic majority will reach 8,000; they claim 8 of 10 congressmen from the state.

CONNECTICUT—Cleveland carries the state by 1,200 plurality. There is no election of governor by the people. Waller, democratic, failing of a majority by about 1,200. The legislature is largely republican and will elect Harrison. This is definite and reliable and the result will not be changed.

WISCONSIN—592 towns and wards, including over one-half of the state entire vote shows a net democratic gain of 9,186.

WISCONSIN—500 precincts show net democratic gain of 8000. If the democratic ticket should have a proportionate gain in the remaining precincts the republicans will carry the state by about 10,000.

Advices from Kansas estimate Blaine's majority in the state at 50,000. Martin, for governor, 40,000. Every congressman and legislature will be republican.

NEW YORK—The 254 districts in the state not in gave in 80 republican majorities of 7,361 and democrat majority of 3,117.

MICHIGAN—530 precincts give Blaine 88,671; Cleveland 76,101; Butler 15,129; St. John 6,179; fusion plurality 2559; and net democrat gain 6,845.

INDIANA—694 voting places show republican gain of 13,336; democrat gain 7,762; net republican gain 5574.

ILLINOIS—47 counties outside of Cook, with 80 precincts to hear from, give Blaine 23,233 majority.

SEATTLE—Kings county returns received from all the precincts outside of the city gives Voorhees 1,300 majority; count incomplete in the city; will probably increase his majority to 2,500. Snohomish City gives Armstrong a small majority.

DAYTON, W. T.—It is estimated the result in Columbia county gives 50 majority for Voorhees; Garfield county 50 majority for Armstrong.

SEATTLE—Territorial election result for delegate, Armstrong elected by 1,500 majority.

OHIO—All but four counties reported unofficially. Blaine carries the state by about 31,000.

NEW YORK—Returns from all the election districts in this city give Cleveland plurality of 43,243.

ILLINOIS—706 precincts in Illinois, including 164 in Chicago, show net democratic gain of 10,018.

INDIANA—709 voting places show republican gain 13,673; democratic gain, 7,905; net republican gain 5,768.

NEW YORK—The World claims New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Indiana, and probably Michigan and Wisconsin, and says Cleveland has 219 electoral votes.

NEW YORK—[From the Tribune]—We believe Blaine and Logan are elected. We can now safely claim New York and Wisconsin, and this brings the electoral votes for the republican candidates up to 204, or three more than are necessary for election. It is reasonably certain that fourteen more will be added from the Pacific slope, while from Indiana, New Jersey and the South there is at hour of writing, 3 a. m., reason to hope for more yet.

AUGUSTA—Geo. T. Barnes, for congress, elected from the 10th district practically without opposition.

Georgia sends solid democratic delegation to congress.

ALBANY, N. Y.—At 11 a. m. the Evening Journal claims New York state in doubt, and an official vote will be needed. Congressional delegation will be 17 republican and 17 democrats.

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—The democratic majority in the legislature is considerably reduced. Beattie, democrat, for governor, is probably elected by a reduced majority.

BOSTON—The Traveller says that Butler read a dispatch this morning from New York assuring him that Blaine had carried the state by from 5,000 to 7,000 plurality beyond a doubt.

EAST SAGINAW, Mich.—This district has gone democratic, although the figures are not known. R. S. Horr, repub., is defeated by Farsney, fusion. Republicans concede Farsney 5,000; democrats claim 1,400.

DETROIT—Before midnight the democrats still claimed the election of state ticket, but made no claim on national ticket. Blaine is probably elected, but not yet decided. The republicans claim he has the state vote with several thousand plurality.

CHICAGO—Returns to hand from the state at midnight indicate delegations in congress will stand: republicans 12, democrats 8. President delegation stands, 12 republicans and 8 democrats.

AUGUSTA—About two o'clock Blaine received a despatch from Denver, stating that Colorado had gone republican by 40,000 majority. Denver additional but complete returns show Blaine's majority in this county will be about 15,000, a net republican gain of 1,600 over 1880.

NEW YORK—The Tribune gives the composition of the New York assembly as 73 republicans and 55 democrats; 15 republicans and 13 democrats held over. The World gives the assembly 71 republicans and 57 democrats.

NEW YORK—Returns from all the electoral districts in this city give Cleveland 43,233 votes over Blaine.

MARYSVILLE, Cala.—County majorities complete; Blaine, 167.

SAN FRANCISCO—It is generally conceded that San Francisco will give a republican majority of 2,000; the majority of the state will be 8,000.

SHASTA—Complete returns from 22 precincts in this county give Cleveland 175 majority. The entire democratic county ticket is elected, majority ranging from 75 to 400.

FALLING A MILE.

A Startling Adventure in a Balloon.

A startling experience of Messrs. Gaston Tissandier and Frederic Gower on Monday afternoon showed that the practical dangers of ballooning are still far from being surmounted, however, well actual disasters may be avoided by coolness and skill. These two gentlemen ascended from the Tissandier establishment at Auteuil about 1 o'clock, to continue a serious of scientific experiments upon certain theories advanced by M. Gower. They sailed slowly across Paris to the southeast at a height of about 1,500 feet, and disappeared in the direction of Vincennes. In answer to the inquiry of a morning news representative, M. Gower relates what befell the voyagers afterwards.

"We were at a height of 6,000 feet above the village of Fontenay. A fete was going on there, and the faint echo of drums, mingled with the cries of children and the barking of dogs just reached our ears amid the awful silence of the heavens. We were among the clouds of the lower stratum, and had before our eyes the magnificent spectacle of their formation. The forces of nature moved them to and fro in a kind of sullen majesty, now piling them into a mountain, just above our heads, and then, as the mass toppled to its fall, dispersing it suddenly, as by a blow from the hammer of some invisible Titan, making rifts through which we saw the fair green lands, and quickly closing them as the vaporous monsters rolled into fresh combinations. It was the inner temple of creative power, perhaps the grandest sight revealed to human eyes, and we stood entranced in silent admiration.

"Suddenly we felt a breath of cold and biting air, as though the world had revolved beneath us and brought us over the Pole. At the same moment, the needle, upon a vertical scale (from which I had been reading indications of level) began to travel with a startling speed. A sound like the roar of surf filled our ears for an instant, and then gave place to the music of the fete, which had now swelled into a cry, as it seemed from every living thing below. Tissandier threw out sand and the sand flew up in our faces. Our breath came short and hard, and we felt the gushing air as on a steamer against the wind. We were falling suddenly as though the great globe above our heads had given way! Yet nothing visible had happened save that the under surface of the envelope had at once grown hollow and wrinkled, like the face of an aged man. The clouds were gone, as by magic, and the earth was rushing at us with its thousand voices in full cry. Tissandier stood cool and firm dealing out ballast with steady hand, and counting the bags that remained."

"Stand by the anchor," he said quietly as if at his study table, "and be ready to cut away when I tell you."

"Down we went till the drag pole touched the earth—trailed across the fields with scarcely a perceptible difference in our fall. The ground seemed to be alive with men hurrying from every side, with here and there a horseman among them. A meadow was just beneath, and a quick glance beyond showed the edge of the forest. The balloon trembled as from a blow, and our speed across the field was suddenly doubled. We had fallen into a squall.

"Cut away," said the steady voice of the æronaut, and the anchor fell. Over went a bag of ballast, too, and thus suddenly lightened by thirty pounds the balloon regained its poise at fifty feet above the ground, and our fall of a mile through the air was safely ended.

"Never was a sound precept more quickly followed by a practical illustration. Less than an hour before Tissandier had been dwelling upon the need of reserving ballast as a precaution. "There are in the air," said he, "occasional rarefactions into which a balloon can fall without the slightest warning. When you are near the ground it does not much matter. But no prudent æronaut, at a height of a thousand metres or more, allow all his ballast to become even nearly exhausted." And this was precisely what our own case showed so shortly afterward. We encountered a partial vacuum, a veritable pit in the air, where the lifting power of gas fell to almost nothing. Air was of course, on the way from some air of a greater density to restore the normal pressure, and of this we had ample evidence upon reaching the ground. The anchor struck the soft earth in the most favorable position, buried half of its flukes in the soil, and was snatched out with scarcely an effort by the flying car. Again and again the heavy iron-bounded fifty feet in the air, and it was only when a score of stout laborers had laid hold of the drag-rope (at cost of a few tumbles) that the gambols of our playful monster were brought to an end."

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Dated Victoria, 25th Oct., 1884. oc26

THE NOBLE HORSE.

What the Scientists Have to Say of His Record.

The Fast Ones of Modern Times—The Genesis of the Horse Through Geological Periods—The Eohippus.

[Indianapolis Journal.]

The record lowering of the speed record by Westmont and Maud S. is an event of wider interest than common, and will make the names of horses, drivers, and owners renowned in places where those of the presidential racers excite little or no comment. For years "2:40" was standard time, and when, twenty years ago, the record was lowered to 2.20 and below, American turfmen and American horses took position in the sporting world. Flora Temple is a better known mare to-day than Bucephalus, while Alexander the Great would no doubt have willingly traded his ox-headed favorite for Jay-Eye-See, and thrown in the sixteen talents ($20,000) that King Philip paid for him to boot. The fact is that the horse is developed with man; and that there is a fitness in the organization of the horse for the needs of mankind is patent to every student of either human or horse history.

"No one," says Prof. Owen, "can enter the saddling-ground at Epsom, before the start for the Derby, without feeling that the glossy-coated, proudly-stepping creatures led out before him are the most perfect and beautiful of quadrupeds. As such I believe the horse to have been predestinated and prepared for man. It may be weakness but if so it is a glorious one, to discern, however dimly, across our finite prison wall evidence of the 'divinity that shapes our ends,' abuse the means as we may." The variations of the horse under domestication are often quoted to show the influence of man in producing varieties amounting to even more than specific differences did they occur in the wild state. America has no distinct families of horses, although those of different regions present some peculiarities. The average New England horse is small, hardy, good-tempered, a good goer, and tough. Through Virginia, Kentucky, and the south generally, the thoroughbred predominates. Through the southwest we have the mustang—a small horse formerly wild on the plains, and still so in South America—a direct descendant from the Spanish horses of the early conquerors. The Aztecs and Peruvians had no horses. The magnificent roads of the Incas, hundreds of miles in length, were for foot travel.

Like man, who has tamed and grown up with the horse, his habitat is unknown, and, like all unknown origins, is referred to western Asia. The horse is portrayed on Egyptian monuments of the eighteenth dynasty, and its remains are found in the Swiss lake villages. In the pastoral lives of the early patriarchs the horse has no mention, and is first noted in Jewish literature after the children of Israel returned from Egypt. Of all mammals the genesis of the horse through geological periods is most complete, and the steps of evolution are so clearly traced by Marsh in the thirty-five or forty species of this family, ranging from the earliest eocence to the quartenary, that Mr. Huxley says that it amounts to a demonstration from the animal kingdom of the general theory of evolution. Beginning with the lowest part of the eocene basin of Green river, we have the eohippus, or "dawn horse" of Marsh, with three-toed hind feet, and four perfect toes with hoofs on each of the front feet, and a splint bone of the fifth toe.

This first and parent of all horses was no larger than a fox, and is followed, in the Bridger beds of the middle eocene, by Marsh's orohippus, of the same size and structure, except without the rudimentary thumb. In the lower miocene comes next the mesohippus, with the fourth toe a useless splint. This reduction of toes and increase of size was continued into the protohippus of the United States, equal to the hipporion of Europe, in which we have a small horse with a large middle hoof and two small hoofs, of no use, except in marshy ground. This stage is occasionally reverted to by the modern horse, an occasional three-toed one coming into the world.

From the time of Valerius Maximus who, of course, never dreamed of Marsh or Huxley, or America, with its forty fossil species, such polydactyle steeds have been noted as monsters and marvels, and for a thousand years were attributed to the stock of Bucephalus. It is simply a case of atavism—of recurrence spontaneously to an earlier type. The hipporion glided, by shortening its teeth and reducing its extra toes to splint bones, through pliohippus to equus—the modern horse as we know him—with infinite variety in human history, culminating in such marvels as Westmont, Jay-Eye-See and Maud S.

The Caleb Cushing Letters.

[Cor. Boston Traveler.]

About 1832 Caleb Cushing desired to go to congress, and party morals had not so far advanced at that time as to admit of a candidate for office presenting his own claims. There appeared in one of the party organs one or more letters setting forth the superior qualifications of Caleb Cushing. They were ably written, couched in elegant language, and had a Machiavellian flavor which made them prominent. Unfortunately, however, some one connected with The Boston Post discovered a striking similarity in the diction and construction of these letters to the style of Caleb Cushing, and The Post openly declared that he was the writer. This Cushing flatly denied. The controversy waxed hot till Cushing's wife, one of the most elegant and accomplished of women (the daughter of Judge Wilde), in order to protect her husband, announced herself as the writer. The manuscript was produced and compared with hers, and the public was satisfied; but the expose caused her death.

What Time Cannot Do.

[Chicago Tribune.]

Time may obliterate the hovels and make them mansions; it may also make Christians sinners and poor men millionaires; but it can never take away the man by the grocery stove, who has just been reminded of an adventure he had during the war, and which he would like to relate to the crowd.

The Earthquake Germ.

[Norristown Herald.]

The Concord School of Philosophy adjourned too soon to inform us what sort of a germ caused the earthquake. We shall have to wait a whole year before we have its Ego in relation to its Shako discussed.

A down-east druggist is doing a great business, simply because he advertised himself as "the homeliest man in the city."

H. Dewey Ribble: Good wedder fer church goin' 'pends mo' on de millener dan it does on de moon.

A Reminiscence.

[Harlem Times.]

"My dear, look below," said a Harlem man, just as he stood on the bridge with his wife and gazed at a tug hauling a line of barges. "Such is life—the tug is like a man working and toiling, while the barge, like women, are"—"I know" interrupted Mrs. G., acridly, "the tug does the blowing and the barges bear the burdens."

Stooping over to pick up a fair lady's handkerchief loses its joy when it sacrifices a suspender-button.

TRAINING LIONS.

The Red-Hot Iron Story—What a Tamer Says.

[London Field.]

It is often supposed that lions are drugged or surfeited with food prior to going through their performances, though both suggestions are wide of the mark. Drugs are unknown, and food, from ten to fourteen pounds, is given once a day. In menageries they are fed in the evening, because then visitors come in greater numbers and an extra charge of sixpence is made for admission during feeding time. The aquarium lions are fed between 9 and 10 in the morning, so that they have plenty of time to digest their food before the afternoon and evening performances. Among other erroneous ideas concerning the details of lion-taming is that red-hot irons are kept in readiness in case of accident to the tamer.

The origin of the story was that when Manders had his menagerie paraffine lamps of the old form were used to light the entrance. The round burners used to get red hot sometimes, and one night some spectator, thinking that the red-heated burner was the end of an iron support, asked whether it was not the hot iron for the lions. Manders, showmanlike, was equal to the occasion, and with the object of investing the performance with additional excitement, explained that irons were kept to assist the tamer in case of need. Contrary to the general belief, however, a tamer does not care about beginning with lions too young. As cubs they are, of course, easier to handle, but as they grow up their temper may grow worse, and may eventually be spoiled by training. The fraternity say that a lion seldom alters for the worse after he is 2 or 3 years old, and that when he reaches that age a competent trainer can pretty well tell whether it will be safe to perform with him or not.

"It would be suicide," said a celebrated tamer the other day, "to go in to some lions; and I think I can tell in a few minutes whether a strange lion is or is not safe." Moreover, lions vary in their temperament as much as a man. Some lions are quiet enough so long as they are not struck or pulled about; they will jump, sit up, and do other feats, but must not be beaten. Others, again, will never make good performers, but will stand a good deal of flogging without turning on the performer. Livingstone, Selous, and Anderson have left it on record that in their opinion lions are afraid of man, and will not attack him unless molested. This is doubtless well known to lion-tamers, and is a trait of which they take as much advantage as possible in their care not to upset a stranger by any violent treatment. Lion-tamers, as a rule, prefer lions to lionesses, and dislike a troop of both sexes mixed. In such cases the danger of entering a den is quadrupled, and mischief is pretty sure to result sooner or later.

A Wonderful Canyon.

[Leadville Democrat.]

"Did you ever notice what a great whispering gallery the Grand canon of the Colorado is?" asked Judge Harrison recently.

"Wonderful!" said Judge Kennedy, as he placed his feet gently upon the table, and transferred a quid from his left to his right cheek.

"I was through there some weeks ago," resumed the justice, "and we made some experiments. One of the party fired off a gun near the needles when we got to Cottonwood, more than eighty-four miles away, we found the town marshal still on the lookout for the fellow who had been shooting in the city limits."

"It's got a fine echo, too," said Kennedy. "I was down at Fort Mojava along in February, and just before I left I got into a little row with a fellow and said he was no part of a gentleman. I said it rather loudly and noticed that the remark hung around the neighborhood pretty well; but when we stopped for dinner, twenty miles away, I'll own up I was surprised to find the rocks still calling out 'part of a gentleman' in the same tone of voice that I had used, except possibly it sounded a little more husky."

"It's a queer country," said the genial justice, "and, as you say, it's echo is wonderful. I was down there along in the fall, and when I went back last month half of the conversation we indulged in was still floating around promiscuously. I had made a verbal contract for a mining-claim that the other party had tried to go back on, but I clinched him by getting a stenographer to take down the echo word for word which had been said six months before, and then I got affidavits from those who knew him that the voice was Jim's, and had him where he couldn't squeal. Wonderful thing that canon!"

How the Moor Sits Down.

[Tangiers Cor. Cincinnati Enquirer.]

The most picturesque thing about a Moor, a fact which we have occasion to notice 100 times, is his disposition of himself. I have never seen a Moor sit down in a chair or on a bench. Your true child of Arabia always sits on the ground or on the floor. And here they were curled up with their legs under them, always easy, always graceful, always indifferent to every thing about them. One fellow we noticed took his position semi-recumbent, close to the guards and out of the way, and never changed it once during the whole journey.

A true Moor does not exactly sit upon the floor—he lounges, rather, and no matter what position he takes he never violates decorum. His long flowing robe is gracefuly about his feet. I tell the exact truth when I say it always flows gracefully about his feet, and the same ease and grace are secured for his upper extremities in the floating folds of his wide sleeves. There is one objection to the manner in which a Moor disposes of himself, and that is not on the ground of cleanliness, for at home the Moor lounges on sweet, clean straw mats, but arises from the fact that he is liable to be confounded with or mistaken for a bale of goods or some article of merchandise, under the awkward steps of some lumbering European.

Food Reproduction.

[Chicago Journal.]

Step by step the leading food products of Europe are being reproduced in this country. Maccaroni is made by Italians in New York, Neuchatel cheese by Swiss in New Jersey, Schweitzer kase by Germans in Ohio, Albert biscuit by Englishman in Albany, and caviare by Russians in Harlem. Nearly all of these are exported to Europe, and there are sold as domestic manufactures.

Villainous Absinthe.

[Chicago Herald Interview.]

"What is your opinion, doctor, of absinthe as a beverage?" queried the scribe.

"Of all villainous drinks I think that is the worst. It is said to be good for digestion. It is not. A fool paragraph in the papers the other day said it was a sure cure for cholera. That is just as much a mistake as the other. But I'll tell you what it will surely do. It will surely make the drinker a confirmed epileptic, and it will destroy all his virile powers. It is imported from France, and in its purity is composed of the essence of wormwood (absinthium), sweet flag, aniseed, angelica root and alcohol. But like most imported liquor it is largely adulterated, and with the most deadly compounds, such as sulphate of copper, blue vitriol and chloride of antimony. Its action on the nervous system is different from that of alcohol, and more nearly resembles nicotine. In a word, a more consummate devil of destruction could not be concocted by the highest scientific skill than is found in this same absinthe, which many of our young men are now in the habit of drinking daily."

A Little Savage.

About the time when baby begins to put away monkey manners, and to stand on two feet like a man, he begins to show, in a very marked degree, the characteristics of savage tribes. For two or three years of this part of life the best baby is a little savage. His ideas of property are intensely savage. He may be said to be always more or less "on the grab" (I object to slang as much as any man, but really there is no other way of describing the tendencies exhibited at this stage of baby's career.) If he has small brothers or sisters (or both), he is always more or less at war with these neighboring savages. If he is deprived of anything he has come to regard as his property (quite mistakenly, it may well be,) or if he sees in the hands of his small kinsfolk any goods or chattels which seem pleasing in his eyes, he has but one way of expressing his wishes; using his hands as weapons if he have no others handy, but bringing down a stick or brush or book (as the case may be) on the head of his enemy with all the zeal of a Fijian or an Ojibbeway on the war-path. Girl babies are pretty nearly as bad as boy babies in these matters, only the girl savage differs from the boy savage much as savage woman differs from savage man.—*Boston Traveller.*

"Tot," said Blossom, "have you ever been baptized?" "Yeth, I have been baptithed. I remember all about it." "Do you?" said Blossom. "Did the minister put water on your head like he did on baby Johnnie's?" "No-o-o," said Tot; "the doctor he jutht scratched my arm and rubbed something on it. It didn't hurt a bit."—*Boston Globe.*

The famous Dismal swamp is now regarded mainly as a source of juniper—or white cedar—for shingles, tubs, pails, and "arms" for telegraph poles.

NOTICES.

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WE HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT WE INtend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small Island, containing 4 acres of land, in Shoal Bay, opposite Section 16.

HENRY BRACKMAN,
DAVID R. KER.

North Saanich, B.C., Sept. 29th, 1884. oc1

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situate at Caprino Harbor, Quatsino Sound, and described as follows:—Commencing at the south-east corner of Section 7: thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence along the coast line to the point of commencement.

JOHN J. RUSSELL.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 3rd, 1884. se5

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, situate at Bright Cove, and described as follows:—Commencing at a stake on the south shore of Quatsino Narrows; thence true south 40 chains; thence true west 40 chains; thence true north 40 chains, more or less, to the shore line; thence in an easterly direction along the shore line to the point of commencement.

JOHN J. RUSSELL.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 3rd, 1884. se5

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 160 acres of land on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, described as follows:—From the N.E. post of Lot 7, Group I., 92.50 chains south to the S. E. post of Lot 7, Group I.; thence east, 1800; thence north to the N. W. post of J. M. L. Alexander's pre-emption; thence westerly to the original starting point.

EGREMONT E. SHEARBURN.

9th October, 1884. oc18 2m

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND MAKING application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 500 acres (more or less) of pastoral land situated in the Osoyoos District and described as follows:—

Commencing at a stake near Johnson Creek, in the west side of Rock Creek, marked "H.N.'s N.W. corner;" thence running S.E. about 1½ miles; thence S. W. ½ mile; thence N.W. 1½ miles; thence N.E. ½ mile, to point of commencement.

HENRY NICHOLSON.

Victele River, B.C., Aug. 28th, 1884. se24

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BURNS MOUNtain Mining Company (Limited), having, under the provisions of sub-Section (a) of Section 63 of the 'Mineral Act, 1884,' filed with me an application for a Crown Grant of their three mineral claims situated on Burns Mountain, Cariboo District; adverse claimants (if any) are required to send in their objections to me within sixty days from the date hereo

Richfield, 6th September, 1884.

JNO. BOWRON,
Government Agent and G. C.

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NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE FROM the country Mrs. Beaumont holds my Power of Attorney and will carry on my business.

WM. BEAUMONT.

Mapel Bay, Oct. 18th, 1884. oc19dw1t

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted in my name by any person or persons whatsoever.

MRS. D. A. COPELAND.

Victoria, 10th Oct., 1884. oc11 1m

DOMINION LICENSE ACT.

YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT HIS EXcellency in Council has been pleased to extend the time for the acceptance of applications for Licenses under the Liquor License Act, in Yale District 1st October next.

n July, 1884.

M. LUMBY,
First License Commissioner, Spallmucheen.

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FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDAY.
Saanich					7 A. M.	
Cowichan	7 A. M.				7 A. M.	
Burgoyne Bay			7 A. M.			
Maple Bay	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Vesuvias Bay	7 A. M.				A. M.	
Chemainus	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Nanaimo	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Comox			7 A. M.			

FRASER RIVER ROUTE.

FROM VICTORIA FOR	MONDAY.	TUESDAY.	WEDNESDAY.	THURSDAY.	FRIDAY.	SATURDA
Ladner's Landing	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
New Westminster	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Port Hammond	7 A. M.		7 A. M.		7 A. M.	
Plumper Pass					7 A. M.	
Granville, Moodyville, Pt Moody					7 A. M.	

NOTE—Steamers leaving Victoria Mondays and Fridays connect at New Westminster for Hope and a way Landings.

Freight for Yale and Points in the Interior must be shipped via Port Hammond and Shippers ar requested to mark weight on each package.

No freight will be received after 5 p.m.

For ALERT BAY, FORT SIMPSON and WRANGLE—Str Otter, Capt. Meyer, will sail October 23rd at 6 o'clock.

my14tf JNO. IRVING, Manager.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE BILLS, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North American Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

THORNTON FELL,
se19tf Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

NOTICE.

Caution to Shipmasters and the Public in General.

THE UNDERSIGNED WISHES IT TO BE DIStinctly understood that he has no connection whatever with Mr. York in the Stevedore business carried on at Burrard Inlet.

oc16 1m WM. H. SOULE

TO RAILWAY CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.

NOTICE.

THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY OF NEW Westminster are prepared to offer the sum of

FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

($50,000) as a Bonus to any person or company that will build, maintain and run a Railway from the City of New Westminster to the Canadian Pacific Railway Terminus at Port Moody. Said offers to be sent in to this office on or before the last day of November, 1884.

By order, A. J ALPORT,
C.M.C

City Clerk's Office,
New Westminster, 9th Sept., 1884. se12 2m

G. BYRNES,

AUCTIONEER, APPRAISER,

COMMISSION AND REAL ESTATE

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LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870.

Victoria City Lot No. 22 and part of Lot No. 23, Block 77.

WHEREAS A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE IN the name of Charles Good, dated 13th October 1863, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made under the provisions of the Land Registry Ordinance, 1870, for a duplicate of such certificate.

Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Acting Registrar General.

Land Registry Office,
15th October, 1884. oc17 1m

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for the payments to be made to me.

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NOTICE.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THURSDAY, THE 6TH November, having been appointed a day of General Thanksgiving, the County Court of Victoria will sit on FRIDAY, the 7th day of November, 1884, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, James Bay.

By order,
EDWIN A. LEIGH,
Registrar.

Dated 14th Oct., 1884. oc15

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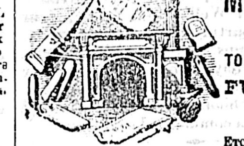

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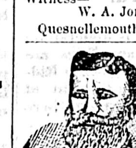
NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between James Reid and Hibbard Hudson as merchants and traders, Quesnellemouth, B. C., has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due the late firm are to be paid to James Reid, by whom all liabilities will be settled.

(Signed) JAMES REID,
HIBBARD HUDSON.

Witness—
W. A. JOHNSTON.

Quesnellemouth, 18th Sept., 1884. se28dw10t



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In Re the Estate of BENJAMIN H. WILSON, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Estate of the late Benjamin H. Wilson, of Granville, are hereby requested to send in their accounts to the undersigned on or before 20th November, 1884, and all persons indebted to the above estate must pay their accounts forthwith to

LOUISA WILSON,
Of Granville, the Executrix.

Dated Granville, Oct. 16th, 1884. oc19 1m

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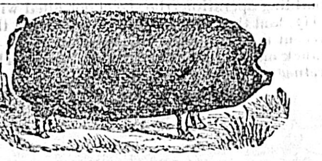

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